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Agriculture (Gr-2) Department**

Notification

Jaipur, May 05, 2023

No.F.4(44)Agri./Gr.-2/2019 .-The State Government of Rajasthan, in public interest, makes the following amendments in the Rajasthan Agro-Processing, Agri-business & Agri-export Promotion Policy 2019 (hereinafter in this notification referred as the Policy), namely:

1. Amendment of provision 8, of the Policy.- In this provision of the Policy, for the existing provision 6.1, the following shall be substituted, namely:-
"6.1 The Policy shall be applicable to new agro processing and agro business enterprises set up in the State."
2. Amendment of provision 8, of the Policy.- In this provision of the Policy, for the existing definition of "Famer", the following shall be substituted, namely:-
" "Famer" means any individual owning more than 1 Hectare of Agriculture Land since last 3 years on the date of application and actively engaged in the economic and/or livelihood activity of growing crops and producing other primary agricultural commodities;"
3. Amendment of provision 13.1.1, of the Policy.- In this provision of the Policy, for the existing provision 13.1.1, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

“13.1.1 Capital subsidy to Farmers and their organizations for the projects with capital cost (plant & machinery and technical civil work) upto Rs. 5 crores - Capital subsidy at the rate of 75 percent of the eligible Capital Cost upto the limit of 75 percent of the project Term Loan amount will be considered with a maximum limit of Rs. 150 lakh for the projects eligible as per Annexure (i).

Provided that Units desirous of availing benefits under this policy need to necessarily apply interest subvention under Agriculture Infrastructure Fund Scheme of Government of India. In addition to this the entrepreneurs may avail subsidy under Mukhyamantri Laghu Udyog Protsahan Yojana (MLUPY) and other State Government scheme. Such applicants will be considered on priority basis under these scheme by the Government.”

4. Insertion of new provision 13.1.1A, in the Policy.- After the existing provision "13.1.1" and before the provision 13.1.2 the new provision "13.1.1A" shall be inserted, namely:-

“13.1.1A Capital subsidy to the Promoters of the projects with 100 percent ownership of SC/ST with capital cost(plant & machinery and technical civil work) upto Rs. 5 crore - Capital subsidy at the rate of 75 percent of the eligible Capital Cost upto the limit of 75 percent of the project Term Loan amount will be considered with a maximum limit of Rs. 150 lakh for the projects eligible as per Annexure (i).

Provided that Units desirous of availing benefits under this policy need to necessarily apply interest subvention under Agriculture Infrastructure Fund Scheme of Government of India. In addition to this the entrepreneurs may avail subsidy under Mukhyamantri Laghu Udyog Protsahan Yojana (MLUPY) and other State Government scheme. Such applicants will be considered on priority basis under these scheme by the Government."

5. Amendment of provision 13.1.2, of the Policy.- for the existing provision 13.1.2, the following shall be substituted, namely:-

“13.1.2 Capital subsidy to the Promoters other than provision 13.1.1 and 13.1.1A for the projects with capital cost(plant & machinery and technical civil work) upto Rs. 5 crore - Capital subsidy at the rate of 50 percent of the eligible Capital Cost upto the limit of 50

percent of the project Term Loan amount will be considered with a maximum limit of Rs. 150 lakh for the projects eligible as per Annexure (i).

Provided that Units desirous of availing benefits under this policy need to necessarily apply interest subvention under Agriculture Infrastructure Fund Scheme of Government of India. In addition to this the entrepreneurs may avail subsidy under Mukhyamantri Laghu Udyog Protsahan Yojana (MLUPY) and other State Government scheme. Such applicants will be considered on priority basis under these scheme by the Government."

6. Insertion of new provision after provision 13.1.10, in the Policy.- After the existing provision "13.1.10" and before the provision 13.2 the new provisions as under shall be inserted, namely:-

"13.1.11 To ensure a robust, uniform distribution and inclusive growth of the Food Processing infrastructure in the State, total 1000 units are proposed to be supported under the Policy in financial year 2023-24. Capital subsidy support will be provided to 33 units per district on first cum first serve basis.

Provided that in each district 16 percent proposals will be sanctioned for units set up by SC category entrepreneurs and 12 percent proposals will be sanctioned for units set up by ST category entrepreneurs.

13.1.12 The projects with Capital investment above Rs. 5.00 Cr. may avail benefit in other State investment Schemes like RIPS-2022 and other schemes available to MSMEs."

7. Amendment of Annexure (i), of the Policy.- In the existing Annexure (i), the following expression shall be amended-

(i) The expression "Agri Waste Processing Units" shall be substituted by the expression "Mushrooms production, processing of Agri waste for Bio-char and pellets production".

(ii) The expression "Warehouse" shall be deleted.

The notification shall be effective for the applications received on or after date the Notification.

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